# Sand Newsletter June 24, 2010

# Sandy Officials Honored with "Best of State" Medals

On May 29, Sandy's Mayor Tom Dolan and Community Development Director, Mike Coulam were awarded Best of State medals. Mayor Dolan was awarded the medal for Utah's Mayor category while Mike Coulam received the medal for City Planning.

Presented annually, the Best of State Awards were created to recognize outstanding organizations and businesses in Utah. Nominations are reviewed by more than 100 judges and are evaluated based on three areas: achievement in the field of endeavor, innovation, and contribution to improving the quality of life in Utah.

The residents of Sandy have benefited from Mayor Dolan's leadership during the past 17 years. He has worked hard to improve all aspects of the city through building a strong commercial base, expanding and improving infrastructure for roads and utilities, creating a safe city through increased police protection, adding additional parks and open space and engaging citizens in local government through volunteerism. Also under Mayor Dolan's leadership, other activities such as the Sandy Balloon Festival, Deck the Hall, Healing Field and the largest event in Sandy, the annual Fourth of July celebration, have been started. Mayor Dolan has been a strong supporter of the arts and was recently awarded the Governor's Community Leadership in the Arts. The mayor has worked closely with the city council and the employees to ensure the residents of Sandy continue to enjoy quality services and one of the lowest tax rates in the county.

Mike Coulam has been the Community Development Director for Sandy since 1982. Under Mike's direction, the



city developed the first city-wide comprehensive plan that has guided development throughout the city for decades. Mike is honored for his vision of the South Towne commercial corridor which has been a successful part of Sandy's business growth and an anchor for

new businesses desiring to move to Sandy. Several national organizations have recognized Mike for his professional land-use planning and for his support and participation in a variety of volunteer organizations that contribute to an enhanced quality of life in Sandy.

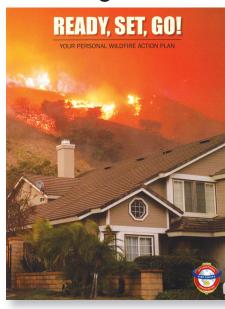
# Sandy Fire Department Launches "Ready, Set, Go" Program

The Sandy City Fire Department along with other national agencies is launching the "Ready, Set, Go" program to educate residents on becoming more prepared in the event of a wildland fire. Sandy City is one of eight cities nationwide to assist with the launch of the program.

This safety program will assist residents living in "high risk" areas along Sandy's east bench to become better prepared in the event their homes are threatened by a wildland fire.

Successfully preparing for a wildfire requires the personal responsibility of the resident in protecting their property and family. Studies show that as many as 80 percent of the homes lost to wildfires could have been saved if their owners would have practiced a few simple fire safety precautions. In addition, most wildfire related deaths occur because people wait too long to leave their home.

The "Ready, Set, Go" program is designed to heighten the awareness of the threat of wildfires in residential areas and



to help residents complete an action plan as a tool in becoming more prepared.

The fire department campaign was launched on June 21 with a printed preparedness guide being delivered to

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# Sandy City Council Adopts a New Budget

On June 1, the Sandy City Council voted to adopt Mayor Dolan's proposed budget for the City. City general fund revenues have decreased by nearly ten percent over the past two years. However, fiscal analysts for the city have been conservative in their revenue projections, helping the city to be in an excellent position to move forward as the economy continues to recover. The primary emphasis of this new budget is to maintain and improve basic core municipal services. This includes retaining the city's talented employees, improving Sandy's streets, and improving the city's water and storm water system. For more information, you can view the budget at www.sandy.utah.gov or contact the Sandy Finance Department at 801-568-7128.



MAYOR: Tom Dolan

CITY COUNCIL:

Scott Cowdell (Dist. 1)
Dennis Tenney (Dist. 2)
Bryant Anderson (Dist. 3)
Chris McCandless (Dist. 4)
Steve Fairbanks (At-Large)
Linda Martinez-Saville (At-Large)
Steve Smith (At-Large)
Council Office...801-568-7141

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER:
Byron Jorgenson

#### CITY PHONE NUMBERS:

SILL PHONE NOWIBERS:
Alta Canyon Rec Center801-568-4600
Amphitheater 801-568-ARTS
Community Events801-568-6097
Fire Dept. Admin801-568-2930
General Information801-568-7100
Job Hotline801-561-7009
Parks and Rec801-568-2900
Planning and Zoning801-568-7256
Police Information801-568-7200
Public Utilities801-568-7280
(Water, Storm Water)
Public Works801-568-2999
(Streets, Transportation, Engineering, Waste)
River Oaks Golf Course801-568-GOLF
Utility Billing801-568-7110
Sandy Justice Court801-568-7160
Street Lights801-352-4400







# SATURDAY, JULY 3, 2010



#### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

7am Flag Raising Ceremony Featuring the Sandy Police & Fire Color Guard

7am 5k Fun Run & the 10K Sandy Classic Register online at www.sandy.utah.gov/parks

10am - 2pm **Youth Arts Festival** Crafts for the kids, Face Painting and fun with the Sand Man.

10am - 3pm \*NEW\* Sandy K9 Demonstrations
See some of Sandy's finest go through their paces.
Watch as they negotiate an obstacle course, catch the bad guy, and sniff out trouble.

10am - 4pm Family Fire Safety Learn how to protect yourself in case of a fire and play some games for prizes.

10am - 4pm \*NEW\* **Be a Cop** See what it's like to be a police officer. Put on a uniform, jump in a patrol car, take a call and catch the bad guy. Be sure to bring your camera for a fun photo station at the end. Great for the young ones!

10am - 4pm \*NEW\* Sandy S.W.A.T. Check out Sandy's elite force and get an inside look at what it takes to be a S.W.A.T. officer.

10am - 6pm Community Stage Tons of great entertainment all day long!

10am - 10pm **Rides & Activities** Check out the fun with Custom Events rides and midway games.

10am - 10pm **Vendor Booths** Great food and interesting products and information.

2pm - 4pm \*NEW\* AirMed Helicopter This is your chance to get up close without needing its services. Take advantage of this opportunity to see, touch and ask questions. It will arrive at 2pm and leave at 4pm so be there to see it fly.

2pm - 10pm \*NEW\* Game-N-Go Video Game Truck
This totally cool and totally equipped truck will be

the hot spot as you put your gaming skills to the test. Sign up during the day for the Guitar Hero tournament that will start at 8pm. It costs \$10 to play in the tournament



and entries are first come, first served. There will be prizes for the winners.

## PARADE "THE AMERICAN DREAM" 6 PM



#### **EVENING CONCERT & FIREWORKS**



7:30pm - Paisley Van
Patten: "I want to be the
voice on the radio singing
positive, uplifting songs
that can change someone's
day - their outlook on
life...that is my dream"

And Paisley is fulfilling that dream. Straight from Nashville, you will love hearing her sing.



9pm - The Salamanders: As Utah's premier party band, the Salamanders consist of five of Salt Lake City's finest professional musicians. They've been playing together in the

studio and for live events since the early 90s. The Salamanders are the epitome of an entertaining variety dance band.



### FIREWORKS SKY CONCERT 10 PM



Simulcast on The Cowboy KSOP 104.3 Followed by a Post Fireworks Concert.





















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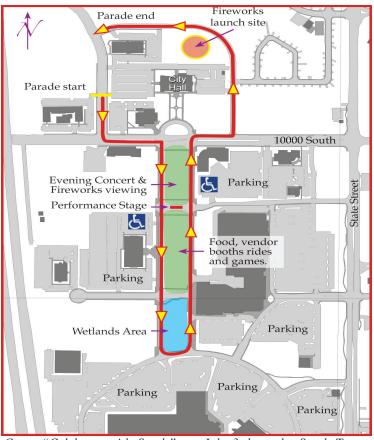
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#### **Movies in the Park**

Come join us for "Movies in the Park" on July 21 at High Point Park. For more information and a list of movies throughout the summer, please visit www.sandy.utah.gov/movies.



Come "Celebrate with Sandy" on July 3rd on the South Towne Promenade. Activities begin at 7 a.m. with the annual 10k & 5k races and end at 10 p.m. with one of the largest fireworks display in the state. Visit www.sandy.utah.gov/4th for more information.

# Days of '47 Horse Parade

The Days of '47 Horse Parade is being celebrated once again in Sandy. The parade will take place on Saturday, July 11 at 10 a.m. at

Colin Hay from Men at Work at the

Sandy Amphitheater 8 p.m.

the South Towne Center located south of Sandy City Hall. This event is a kick-off to the Days of '47 festivities and is free to attend. Spectators are encouraged to arrive early.

The parade is the largest of its kind in the nation. This parade's uniqueness lies in the fact that only

horse-related entries are invited to participate and spectators can see them all at close range. Participants include giant draft horses to tiny miniatures, beautiful wagons and well-preserved carriages, drill teams, authentic costumes and plenty of talented rodeo royalty.

For more information about the Days of '47 Horse Parade, email Jerry or Janet King at jandjallhorse@gmail.com or visit online at www.daysof47.com.

www.sandyarts.com

#### Calendar of Events

June 30	Free Concert Orchestra and Chorus of Sandy 8 p.m.	www.sandyarts.com
July 1	Photo Contest: A Summer's Dream	www.sandy.utah.gov/photos
July 3	4th of July Festivities	www.sandy.utah.gov/4th
July 3	Sandy Classic – 10k & 5k Fun Run	www.sandy.utah.gov/4th
July 7	The Elders at the Sandy Amphitheater 8 p.m.	www.sandyarts.com
July 8	Household Hazardous Waste Collection 7-10 a.m.	801-568-2999
July 8	Citizen Corps Council Meeting 7 p.m.	801-568-7279
July 9	Restless Heart at the Sandy Amphitheater 8 p.m.	www.sandyarts.com
July 10	Eclipse at the Sandy Amphitheater 8 p.m.	www.sandyarts.com
July 11	Days of '47 Horse Parade 10 a.m.	www.daysof47.com
July 12	Family Night at Lone Peak Skate Park –	www.sandy.utah.gov/parks
	Jungle Night 6-9 p.m.	
July 14	Pioneer Heritage Festival at the	www.sandyarts.com
	Sandy Amphitheater 8 p.m.	
July 15	Rabies Clinic at Lone Peak Park	801-352-4450
	(south side pavilion) 6-8:30 p.m.	
July 16	Chance McKinney at the Sandy Amphitheater 8 p.m.	www.sandyarts.com
July 17	Jon Schmidt at the Sandy Amphitheater 8 p.m.	www.sandyarts.com
July 21	Movies in the Park at High Point Park 8:30 p.m.	www.sandy.utah.gov/movies
July 26	Family Night at Lone Peak Skate Park –	www.sandy.utah.gov/parks
	Family Skate 6-9 p.m.	
July 28	Arrival: The Music of ABBA at the	www.sandyarts.com
	Sandy Amphitheater 8 p.m.	
July 30	Peter Breinholt at the Sandy Amphitheater 8 p.m.	www.sandyarts.com

### Slim Down Shape Up 2010

Slim Down – Shape Up 2010 was a big success! Healthy Sandy, Alta Canyon Sports Center, SelectHealth, Curves, and



Utah Home Fitness teamed up to encourage Sandy residents to adopt healthy lifestyles and lose any unneeded weight. Four hundred and fifty people signed up for this ten week program, meeting weekly challenges, going on walks together, and listening to mini-lectures on health and nutrition. Participants also received weekly emails with health and nutrition tips. This year's program also included challenges and activities for kids as well as adults, so the whole family could participate together.

On Saturday, June 12, 130 people came to Lone Peak Park to weigh out at the end of the program and celebrate achieving their goals for a healthier lifestyle. Thousands of dollars worth of prizes were given away by Healthy Sandy and the sponsoring vendors to all who participated.

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approximately 3,000 homes throughout Sandy's east bench. The guide contains information about how residents can better prepare their families and tips on making their homes more fire resistant. The guide also contains several check lists that help residents create an action plan customized for their family.

For more information, or to receive a copy of the preparedness guide, please visit www.sandy.utah.gov or call the Sandy Fire Department at 801-568-2930.



# Sandy Recreation June 24, 2010

440 East 8680 South • Sandy, Utah 84070 • 801-568-2900 www.sandy.utah.gov/parks
Registration Information

ONLINE REGISTRATION: www.sandy.utah.gov/parks (available for most sports and programs)
IN PERSON: Sandy Parks & Recreation • Monday-Friday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.



#### **EVENTS**

Fourth of July Actitives (on the 3rd) Youth Arts Festival

The Youth Arts Festival takes place during the 4th of July Activities taking place on Saturday, July 3 from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. on the Sandy City Promenade. Activities include face painting, craft stations, clown and more for ages 4-12.

#### The Sandy Classic - Fourth of July 10k & 5k Fun Run

Saturday, July 3rd (Certified Course)

Location: South of City Hall on Centennial Blvd. (10200 South). Please visit www.sandy.utah.gov/4th to register.

Race	Time	Cost (June 1-29)	Cost (June 30-July 3)
5k	7 a.m.	\$16/individual \$10/family member	\$20/individual No family discount
10k	7:15 a.m.	\$20/individual	\$25/individual

#### **Fall Sport Registration**

Early Registration Information			Regular Registration Information		
Sport	Age	Dates	Cost	Dates	Cost
Youth Soccer	4-14*	May 24-July 7	\$42-\$50	July 8-July 14	\$47-\$55
Boys Baseball	7-12	May 24-July 28	\$43-\$53	July 29 Aug. 4	\$48-\$58
Coed T-Ball/Coachpitch	4-7	May 24-July 28	\$38	July 29-Aug. 4	\$43
Girls Fastpitch Softball	7-18	May 24-July 28	\$42-\$46	July 29-Aug. 4	\$47-\$51
Coed Flag Football	6-10	May 24-Aug. 18	\$42	Aug. 19-Aug. 25	\$47

\*Note: Age as of September 1, 2010

#### Teens Learn Personal Safety from Sandy Police Department

The safety of our teenagers is a topic of concern. In this class sponsored by the Sandy Police Department, teenagers, 12 and older, will gain knowledge on how to protect themselves against crime during daily activities such as jogging or driving and how to protect themselves while on a date or at home. Learn what personal safety is and how to prevent becoming a victim. To register, contact the Parks & Recreation office at 801-568-2900. Classes are free and take place in the Police Training Room at Sandy City (first floor on the east side) on June 30 or July 27 from 7 p.m. until 8:30 p.m.

#### **Youth Bowling Lessons**

Bowling lessons are being held at Karen Pullman's Bowling Center located at 7984 South 1300 East for youth ages 5-17. Lessons include the use of shoes and a bowling ball. Classes include 6 lessons and are \$35.

Class 1: Monday & Wednesday: July 26, 28, August 2, 4, 9, 11 Time: 10-11 a.m. Class 2: Tuesday & Thursday: July 27, 29, August 3, 5, 10, 12 Time: 3-4 p.m.

#### Girls Basketball Camp

This basketball camp is designed for girls of varying ages and abilities, with emphasis on the execution of fundamentals such as dribbling, passing, shooting, rebounding, footwork, offensive and defensive skills and team strategies. The camp is structured to allow participants to implement new skills and most importantly to have fun. Class size is limited to 20 so please register early.

Location: Sandy Parks & Recreation Gym – 8680 South 440 East

Date: July 12, 13 & 14 Grades: 2nd-6th Time: 1-4 p.m. Cost: \$40



River Oaks Golf 9300 S. Riverside Drive Sandy, Utah 801-568-4653

www.sandy.utah.gov/riveroaks



#### **River Oaks Banquet Facility**

River Oaks Clubhouse offers a beautiful banquet room perfect for luncheons, parties or receptions. The indoor facility is nestled along the Jordan River with spectacular views through large open windows. The banquet room will accommodate up to 150 guests with an additional 90 on the deck overlooking the manicured golf course. We offer in-house catering with a full menu for any event. Please call Lori at 801-870-0826 to check availability and pricing. A virtual tour of the facility is available at www.sandy.utah.gov/parks.

#### Junior Golf Camp

Date:

Our four-day summer camp is designed to create interest and foster development in beginners and intermediate golfers. Learn the fundamentals from our PGA Professionals and certified instructors through a small group setting along with full use of the north range facilities. Full day and half day programs are available. A full day camp consists of 9 holes of golf with the staff.

Location: River Oaks Driving Range – 891 West 9000 South, 801-568-4657

Cost: Half-Day: \$195 Full-Day: \$295 Times: 9:30 a.m.-Noon 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

July 13-16 (Tues-Fri)

# **July Happenings:** Family Night at the Ska

Family Night at the Skate Park – Join us on July 12 and July 26 for Family Night at Lone Peak Park located at 10140 South 700 East. July 12 is our themed "Jungle" night with lots of fun activities for the kids. The Public Utilities Department will be on-hand to show the many services they offer residents. This is a free event and takes place from 6-9 p.m.

"Just a Kick" Sparta United Soccer Camp – This camp offers exceptional training formulated for boys and girls ages 4 ½-10 years of age. Camp runs from July 6-9 at Falcon Park from 8 a.m. until 9:30 a.m. The cost of the camp is \$65.

**Spock's Skate Camp** – Learn the fundamentals of skateboarding from Spock at Sandy's Lone Peak Skate Park. Four class sessions are being offered starting July 9 from 8:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. The cost is \$60. Helmets and knee and elbow pads are required.

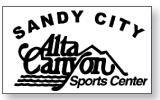
**Little Man's Basketball Camp** – This basketball camp runs July 12-16 from 8:30-10 a.m. and is organized by Barry Hecker, an assistant coach with the Memphis Grizzlies. Cost of the camp is \$65.

**Movie Star Camp** – Give your child the opportunity to act in a movie at Popcorn Pictures "Movie Star Camp" that takes place July 12-15 at 9 a.m. The cost is \$125 plus a \$50 production fee.

Improvisational Theater Camp – Camps are taught by Cindi Griswold who has been conducting summer theater camps in Sandy for nine years. Camps run July 26-30 at Lone Peak Park. The beginner's class takes place from 9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m. and the advanced class is from 10:30 a.m. until noon. The cost starts at \$30.

**Karate Camp** – This camp is a great introduction to martial arts and runs July 13-16 at Bobby Lawrence Karate Training Center. Costs of the camp begin at \$129.

**Boy Scout Classes** – Classes taught cover the requirements for Citizenship in the World on July 13 and Citizenship in the Community on August 10. Classes run from 4 p.m.-6 p.m. with a cost of \$10.



Alta Canyon Sports Center 9565 South Highland Drive Sandy, Utah • 801-568-4600

Swimming pool and splash pad now open at Alta Canyon! Choose Alta Canyon Sports Center to be your premier headquarters for fun this summer.

Family memberships begin at \$164 per year.

#### ennis Lessons

Classes are two-week sessions and include 8 lessons per session. Beginner, intermediate and advanced levels are available with a limit of 15 students per class.

Days: Monday-Thursday

Cost: \$40/member \$45/non-member Session Dates: \*July 6-15, July 19-29, & August 2-12

Location: Alta Canyon Tennis Courts ° 9565 South Highland Dr. \*Due to the 4th of July holiday, session 1 will begin Tuesday, July 6 and run through Friday the first week. The 2nd week will resume Monday-Thursday. Please call 801-568-4600 for times and availability.

#### Swim Lessons

We offer swim lessons, private swim lessons and semi-private swim lessons. All classes are taught by Certified Water Safety Instructors from the American Red Cross. Please call the swim school office at 801-568-4606 for information on skill levels. Classes may be added or dropped due to enrollment or instructor availability. A minimum of 3 students is required for classes to be held.